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<b>Applicants:</b>	)	<b>Conf. No.:</b>	<b>1628</b>
<b>Application No.:</b>	)	<b>Art Unit:</b>	<b>2643</b>
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<b>SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A CONNECTION BETWEEN A CONTACT REQUESTER AND A COMMUNICATIONS CENTER</b>	)		<b>23448</b>

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**SUBMISSION OF REQUEST FOR CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT IN U.S. PATENT  
APPLICATION NO. 10/549,392**

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Sir:

A review of the Filing Receipt in the above-identified patent application, as received in the undersigned attorney's office, has revealed the presence of several errors in the attorney docket number, residence of the inventor and spelling of the title of the subject application.

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The proper attorney docket number for the subject application is:

4280-108

The proper residence information for the inventor, consistent with the address provided on the Declaration/Power of Attorney document filed in the subject application, is:

LONDON, United Kingdom

Finally, in the title of the application, the word 'communication' should be 'communications.'  
The proper title of the subject application is set out below in its entirety:

**SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A CONNECTION  
BETWEEN A CONTACT REQUESTER AND A COMMUNICATIONS CENTER**

Request hereby is made for issue of a Corrected Filing Receipt for the subject U.S. patent application.

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Respectfully submitted,



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**Title**

System and method for the establishment of a connection between a contact requester and a  
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**Communications**

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